

Motor Vehicle Use Map Lewis and Clark National Forest



Castle Mountains
January 31, 2014

THE PURPOSE AND CONTENTS OF THIS MAP

The designations shown on this motor vehicle use map (MVUM) were made by the responsible official pursuant to 36 CFR 212.51; are effective as of the date on the front cover of this MVUM; and will remain in effect until superseded by next year's MVUM.

It is the responsibility of the user to acquire the current MVUM. This MVUM shows the National Forest System roads, National Forest System trails, and the areas on National Forest System lands in the Lewis & Clark National Forest Castle Mountains that are designated for motor vehicle use pursuant to 36 CFR 212.51. This MVUM also identifies the vehicle classes allowed on each route and in each area; and any seasonal restrictions that apply on those routes and in those areas.

Designation of a road, trail, or area for motor vehicle use by a particular class of vehicle under 36 CFR 212.51 should not be interpreted as encouraging or inviting use or implying that the road, trail, or area is passable, actively maintained, or safe for travel. Motor vehicle designations include parking along designated routes and at facilities associated with designated routes when it is safe to do so and when not causing damage to National Forest System resources. Seasonal weather conditions and natural events may render designated roads and trails impassable for extended periods. Designated areas may contain dangerous or impassable terrain. Many designated roads and trails may be passable only by high-clearance vehicles or four-wheel-drive vehicles. Maintenance of designated roads and trails will depend on available resources, and many may receive little maintenance.

This motor vehicle use map identifies those roads, trails, and areas designated for the motor vehicle use under 36 CFR 212.51 for the purpose of enforcing the prohibition at 36 CFR 261.13. This is a limited purpose. The other public roads are shown for information and navigation purposes only and are not subject to designation under the Forest Service travel management regulation.

These designations apply only to National Forest System roads, National Forest System trails, and areas on National Forest System lands.

OPERATOR RESPONSIBILITIES

Operating a motor vehicle on National Forest System roads, National Forest System trails, and in areas on National Forest System lands carries a greater responsibility than operating that vehicle in a city or other developed setting. Not only must you know and follow all applicable traffic laws, you need to show concern for the environment as well as other forest users. The misuse of motor vehicles can lead to the temporary or permanent closure of any designated road, trail, or area. As a motor vehicle operator, you are also subject to State traffic law, including State requirements for licensing, registration, and operation of the vehicle in question.

Motor vehicle use, especially off-highway vehicle use, involves inherent risks that may cause property damage, serious injury, and possibly death to participants. Drive cautiously and anticipate rough surfaces and features such as snow, mud, vegetation, and water crossings common to remote driving conditions. By your Participation, you voluntarily assume full responsibility for these damages, risks, and dangers. Take care at all times to protect yourself and those under your responsibility.

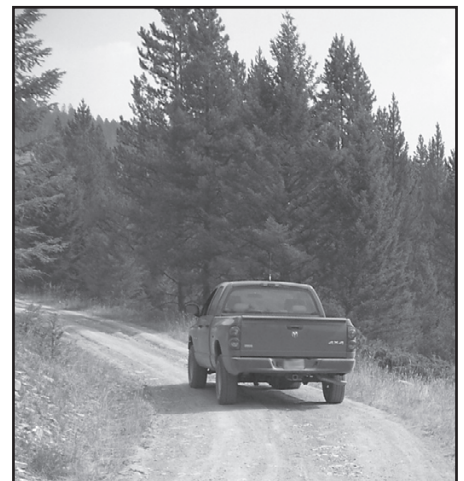
Much of the Lewis & Clark National Forest is remote. Medical assistance may not be readily available. Cellular telephones do not work in many areas of the Lewis & Clark National Forest. Operators should take adequate food, water, first-aid supplies, and other equipment appropriate for the conditions and expected weather.

ALWAYS REMEMBER TO RESPECT PRIVATE LAND! PROTECT YOUR PRIVILEGE. STAY ON DESIGNATED ROADS, TRAILS, AND IN DESIGNATED AREAS.

Read and understand this map in its entirety. If you have questions, please contact the Lewis & Clark National Forest for clarification.

As a motor vehicle operator on a National Forest System road, trail, or area, you must comply with this map, as well as all Federal, State, and local laws and regulations. Compliance with these rules is your responsibility.

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BLANKET STATEMENTS FOR TRAVEL MANAGEMENT

OFF-ROUTE PARKING

Motor vehicles may be parked up to 70 feet from the edge of the road surface when it is safe to do so without causing damage to

National Forest System resources or facilities, unless prohibited by state law, a traffic sign, or an order (36 CFR261.54).

Vicinity Map



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EXPLANATION OF LEGEND ITEMS

Roads Open to Highway Legal Vehicles Only:

These roads are open only to motor vehicles licensed under State law for general operation on all public roads within the State.

Roads Open to All Vehicles:

These roads are open to all motor vehicles, including smaller off-highway vehicles that may not be licensed for highway use (but not to oversize or overweight vehicles under State traffic law).

Trails Open to All Vehicles:

These trails are open to all motor vehicles, including both highway legal and nonhighway legal vehicles.

Trails Open to Motorcycles Only:

These trails are open only to motorcycles. Sidecars are not permitted.

Trails Open to Wheeled Vehicles 50 inches or Less in Width:

These trails are open only to wheeled motor vehicles less than 50 inches in width at the widest point on the vehicle.

Seasonal Designation:

This symbol, used in conjunction with one of the other road or trail symbols, indicates that the road or trail is open only during certain portions of the year. Refer to Seasonal Table for further instructions.

Other Public Roads and Trails:

- Other Public Roads
- Other Public Trails

These symbols are used to show routes the Forest Service does not have jurisdiction over and has not designated for motorized use. These symbols are part of the reference layers showing connections to towns and cities outside the forest boundary.

Milepost Marker:

This symbol is used to display the beginning and ending mileposts of a road that has a change in the designation but not the symbology.



INFORMATION SOURCES Lewis & Clark National Forest

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Great Falls, MT 59401
Phone: (406)-791-7700

Belt Creek Ranger District

4234 US Highway 89 North
Neihart, MT 59465
Phone: (406)-236-5100

Musselshell Ranger District

809 2nd Street NW
Harlowtown, MT 59036
Phone: (406)-632-4391

White Sulphur Springs Ranger District

204 W. Folsom
White Sulphur Springs, MT 59645
Phone: (406)-547-3361

Judith Ranger District

109 Central Ave
Stanford, MT 59479
Phone: (406)-566-2292

In Emergencies, call 911

PROHIBITIONS

It is prohibited to possess or operate a motor vehicle on National Forest System lands on the Lewis and Clark National Forest other than in accordance with these designations (36 CFR 261.13).

Violators of 36 CFR 261.13 are subject to a fine of up to \$5,000, imprisonment for up to 6 months or both (18 U.S.C. 3571(e)). This prohibition applies regardless of the presence or absence of signs.

This map does not display nonmotorized uses, over-snow uses, or other facilities and attractions on the Lewis and Clark National Forest. Obtain forest visitor information from the local National Forest office.

Designated roads, trails, and areas may also be subject to temporary, emergency closures. As a visitor, you must comply with signs notifying you of such restrictions. A National Forest may issue an order to close a road, trail, or area on a temporary basis to protect the life, health, or safety of forest visitors or the natural or cultural resources in these areas. Such temporary and/or emergency closures are consistent with the Travel Management Rule (36 CFR 212.52 (b), 36 CFR 261 subpart B).

The designation "road or trail open to all motor vehicles" does not supersede vehicle size or weight limits imposed through State traffic law.

To report poaching, hunting or fishing violations, OHV violations, littering, theft or destruction of natural and cultural resources, and any other crime on public land, call:



tread lightly!
LEAVING A GOOD IMPRESSION



Travel and recreate with minimum impact.
Respect the environment and the rights of others.
Educate yourself---plan and prepare before you go.
Allow for future use of the outdoors by leaving it better than you found it.
Discover the rewards of responsible recreation.
For more information on Tread Lightly!, go to <http://www.treadlightly.org> or call 1-800-966-9900.

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This page is for reference only to facilitate finding routes and features on the following map pages.

Seasonal Designation Table - Map A1

Route #		Symbol	Dates Open	Open to	Length (mi.) of open segment*	Tickmark Segment
Trail	713-A	.....	12/01-10/14	Motorcycle	1.5	
Trail	716	.....	12/01-10/14	Motorcycle	0.2	1.5-1.7
		=====	07/01-08/31	Wheeled Vehicles 50" or Less	2.1	4.8-6.9
Trail	717	.....	12/01-10/14	Motorcycle	4.9	
Trail	717	=====	12/01-10/14	Wheeled Vehicles 50" or Less	2.1	
Trail	719	=====	07/01-08/31	Wheeled Vehicles 50" or Less	4.8	
Trail	723	.....	12/01-10/14	Motorcycle	2.6	
Trail	725	=====	12/01-10/14	Wheeled Vehicles 50" or Less	2.2	

**Legend For Castle Mountain MVUM
Grasshopper A1**

Roads Open to All	Trails Open to Wheeled Vehicles Only < 50" or Less in Width, Seasonal	National Forest System Lines	Peaks
Roads Open to Highway Legal Vehicles	Other Public Trails	Non-National Forest System Lands within the National Forest	Milepost Marker
Other Public Roads		Lakes	FS Campground
Trails Open to Motorcycles Only, Seasonally (See Table)		Township/Range Lines	
		Section Lines	

**Length of route segment open to this use, on these dates.
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**Castle Mountain MVUM
January 31, 2014
Grasshopper - A1**



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Castle Mountains Motor Vehicle Use Map

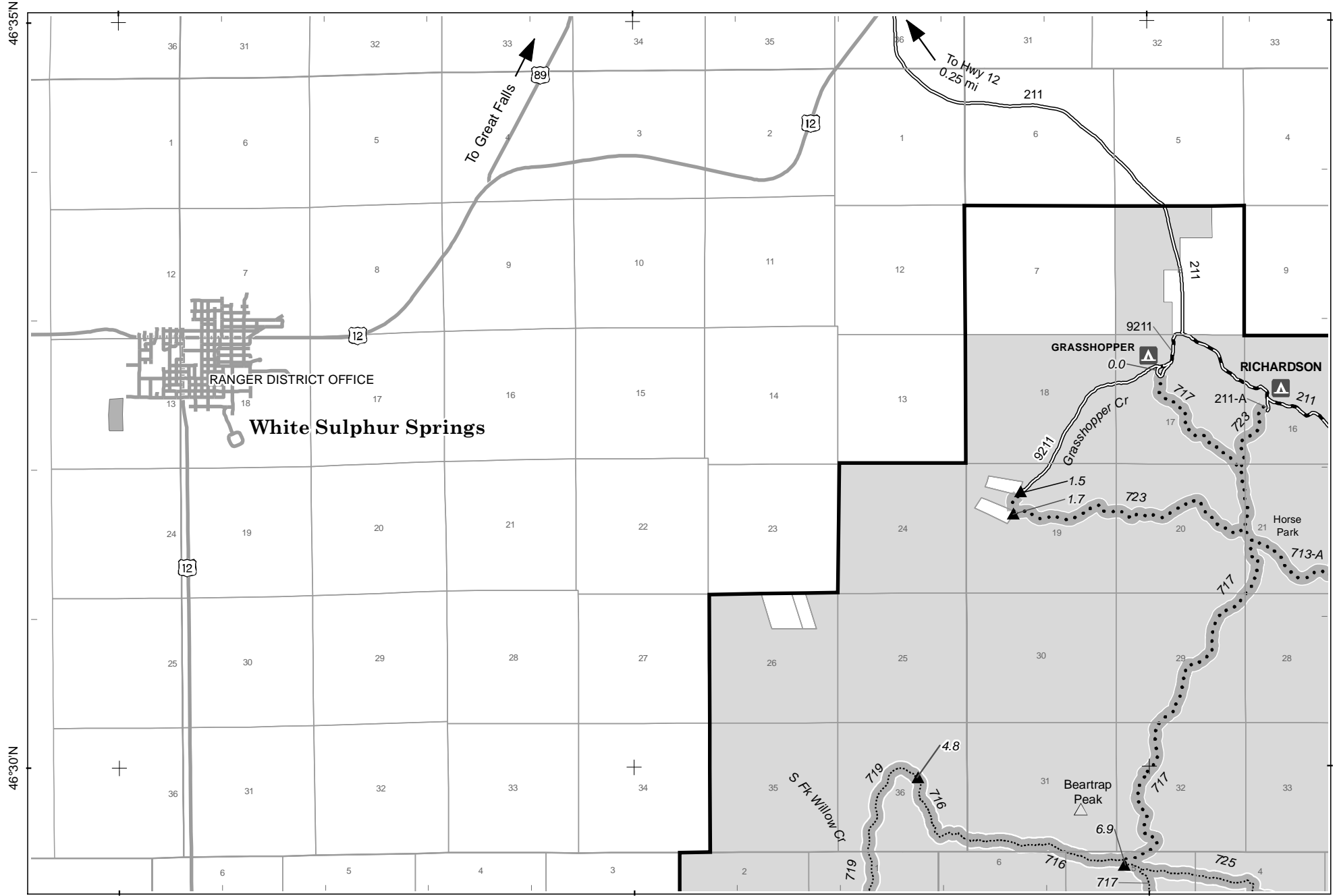
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Seasonal Designation Table - Map A2					
Route #		Symbol	Dates Open	Open to	Length (mi.) of open segment*
Trail	713	••••••••	12/01-10/14	Motorcycle	0.4
Trail	713-A	••••••••	12/01-10/14	Motorcycle	1.5
Trail	J623-A	=====	12/01-08/31	All Vehicles	0.3
Trail	J15946	=====	12/01-08/31	All Vehicles	1.3
Trail	J15952	=====	12/01-08/31	All Vehicles	0.8
Trail	J15952-A	=====	12/01-08/31	All Vehicles	0.2
Trail	J15954	=====	12/01-08/31	All Vehicles	1.1
Trail	J15962	=====	12/01-10/14	All Vehicles	1.7
Trail	J15974	=====	12/01-08/31	All Vehicles	1.1
Trail	J15977	=====	12/01-08/31	All Vehicles	0.5
Trail	J581039	=====	12/01-08/31	All Vehicles	0.7

**Legend For Castle Mountain MVUM
Checkerboard A2**

===== Roads Open to All Vehicles	===== Trails Open to All Vehicles, Seasonally (See Table)	National Forest System Lines	△ Peaks
===== Roads Open to Highway Legal Vehicles	••••• Trails Open to Motorcycles Only, Seasonally (See Table)	Non-National Forest System Lands within the National Forest	
===== Other Public Roads	..... Trails Open to Wheeled Vehicles Only < 50" in Width, Yearlong	Lakes	
===== Trails Open to All Vehicles, Yearlong	----- Other Public Trails	Township/Range Lines	
		Section Lines	

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January 31, 2014
Checkerboard - A2**

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Seasonal Designation Table - Map A3					
Route #		Symbol	Dates Open	Open to	Length (mi.) of open segment*
Road	694		12/01-08/31	Highway Legal Vehicles	4.5
Road	8905		12/01-08/31	Highway Legal Vehicles	0.9
Road	15929		12/01-08/31	Highway Legal Vehicles	2.3
Road	15933		12/01-08/31	Highway Legal Vehicles	1.2

**Legend For Castle Mountain MVUM
Mount Howe A3**

	Roads Open to Highway Legal Vehicles		Trails Open to All Vehicles, Yearlong		National Forest System Lines		Peaks
	Roads Open to Highway Legal Vehicles, Seasonally (See Table)		Trails Open to Wheeled Vehicles Only < 50" in Width, Yearlong		Non-National Forest System Lands within the National Forest		
	Other Public Roads				Lakes		
					Township/Range Lines		
					Section Lines		

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Mount Howe - A3**



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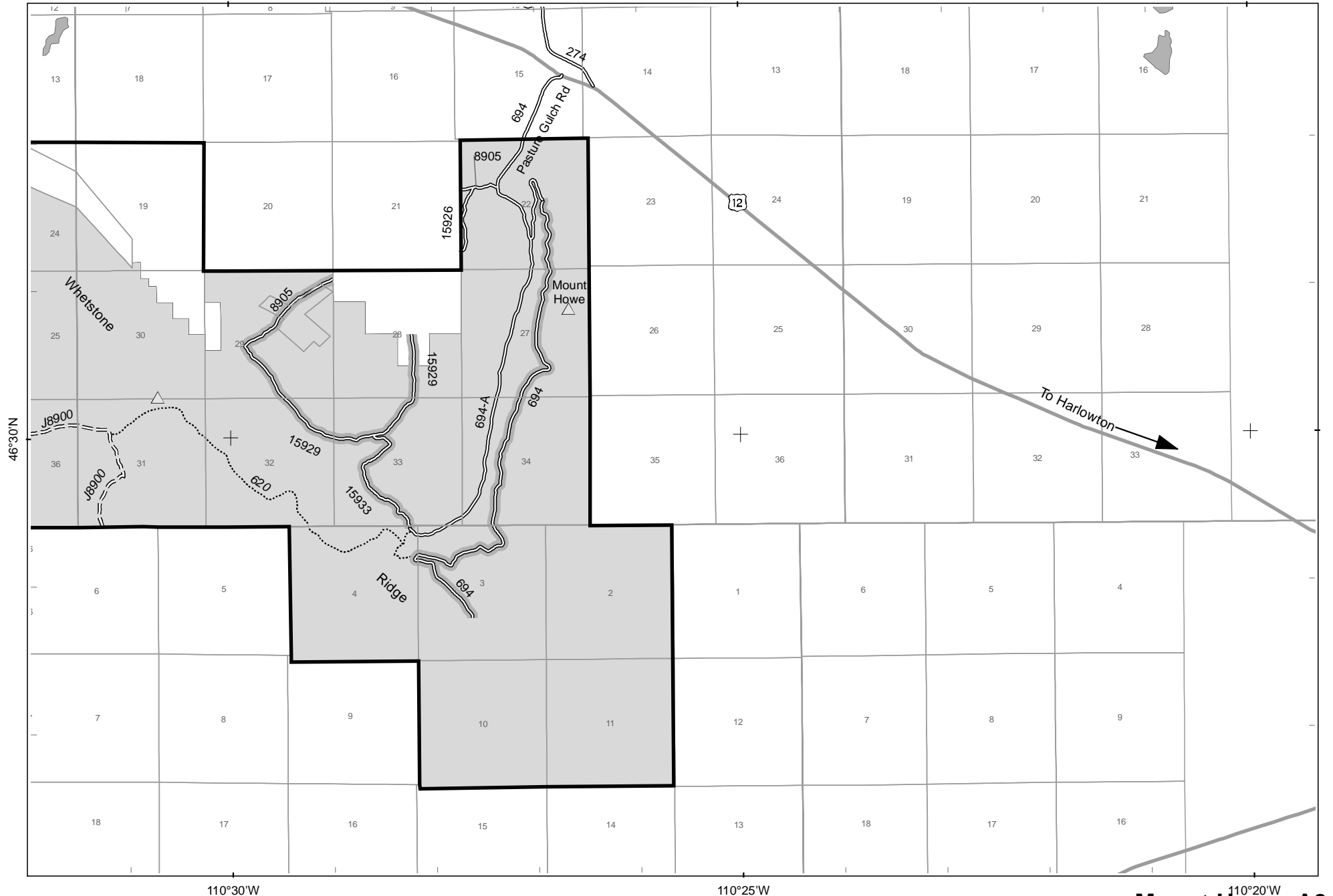
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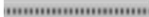
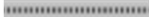
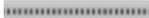
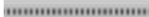
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<i>Seasonal Designation Table - Map B1</i>					
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Trail	618		07/01-08/31	Wheeled Vehicles 50" or Less	2.1
Trail	717		12/01-10/14	Wheeled Vehicles 50" or Less	2.1
Trail	719		07/01-08/31	Wheeled Vehicles 50" or Less	4.8
Trail	725		12/01-10/14	Wheeled Vehicles 50" or Less	2.2

Legend For Castle Mountain MVUM Elk Peak B1

	Other Public Roads		National Forest System Lines		Peaks
	Trails Open to Wheeled Vehicles Only < 50" in Width, Yearlong		Non-National Forest System Lands within the National Forest		
	Trails Open to Wheeled Vehicles Only < 50" or Less in Width, Seasonal		Township/Range Lines		
			Section Lines		

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Elk Peak - B1**



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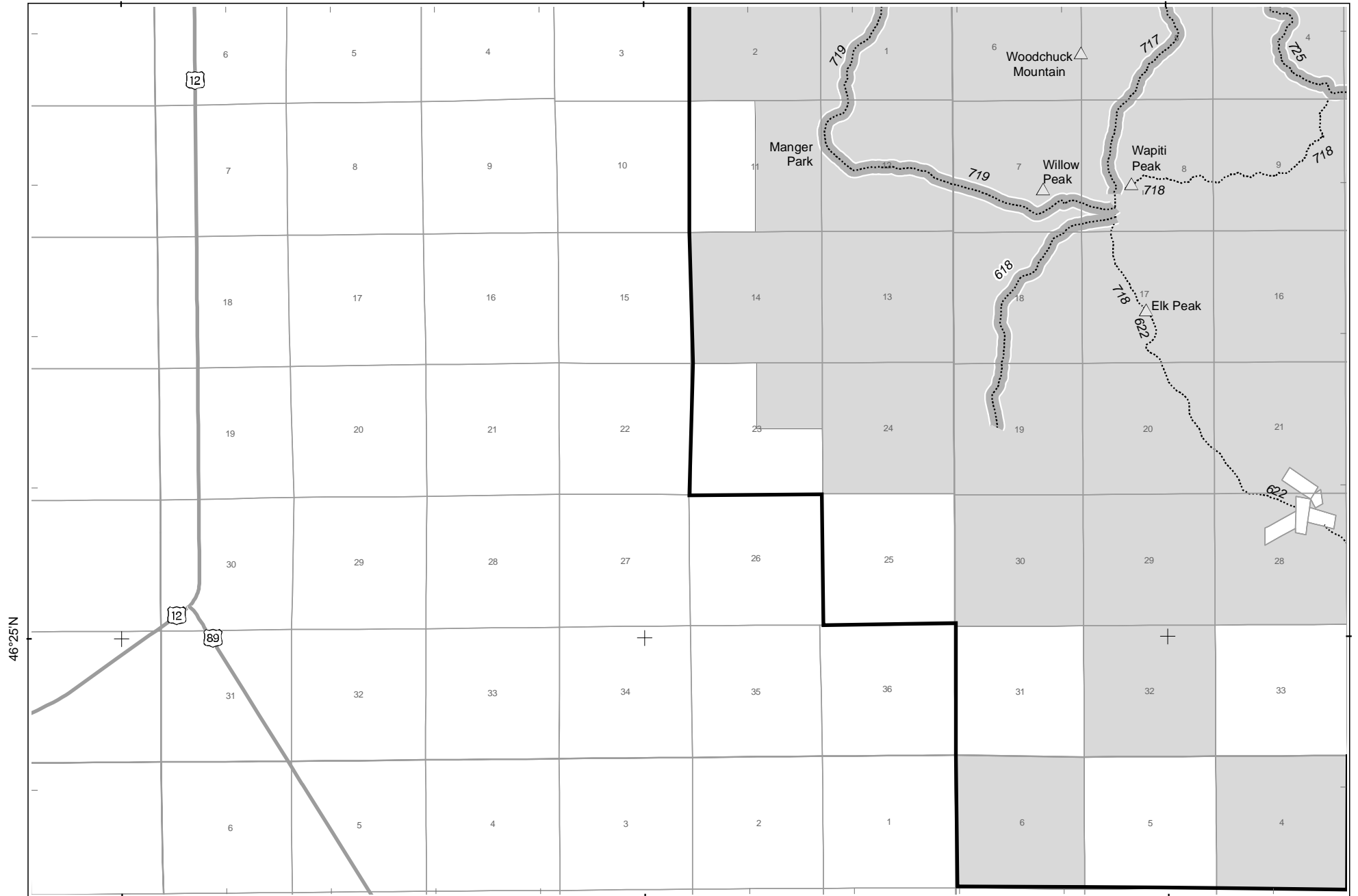
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










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Elk Peak B1

<i>Seasonal Designation Table - Map B2</i>					
<i>Route #</i>		<i>Symbol</i>	<i>Dates Open</i>	<i>Open to</i>	<i>Length (mi.) of open segment*</i>
Trail	J9214	=====	12/01-08/31	All Vehicles	2.5

**Legend For Castle Mountain MVUM
Bonanza B2**

 Roads Open to Highway Legal Vehicles	 Trails Open to All Vehicles, Seasonally (See Table)	 National Forest System Lines
 Other Public Roads	 Trails Open to Wheeled Vehicles Only < 50" in Width, Yearlong	 Non-National Forest System Lands within the National Forest
 Trails Open to All Vehicles, Yearlong	 Other Public Trails	 Lakes
		 Township/Range Lines
		 Section Lines
		 Peaks

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